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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed September 27, 2002, and in order to comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. § 1.821-1.825, Applicants submit herewith the required paper and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing. Please amend the specification in adherence with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821-1.825 as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 12, line 23, with the following amended paragraph: